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LATEST KEMALIST DEMANDS

SERIOUS CONSTANTINOPLE POSITION.

LAUSANNE CONFERENCE PROSPECTS.

LONDON, November 6.

It is authoritatively stated that developments in Constantinople are very serious. The appointment of an administration favourable to Ankara is an internal matter not concerning outsiders. Any demand that Ankara should take over the civil administration in the occupied zone is inadmissible, provided the terms of the Mudania convention are upheld, securing allied military occupation of the zone, but the demand for Kemalist military occupation of the zone is inadmissible by the allies as conflicting with the convention.

In consequence of the conflicting position in Constantinople it is now thought likely that the Lausanne conference may be postponed a week or more. Any further untoward event in Constantinople might easily create an entirely different situation.

WHAT ANGORA WANTS.

CONSTANTINOPLE, November 6.

A message from Ankara states that the National Assembly has instructed Ismet Pasha to secure acceptance at the Lausanne conference of the following points:-

- (1) The frontiers of Turkey shall be in accordance with the national pact.
 - (2) Payment of an indemnity by Greece.
 - (3) Suppression of capitulations.
 - (4) Modification of the frontiers of Iraq.
 - (5) The complete independence of Turkey financially, economically and politically.
- Refet Pasha has suppressed the Turkish senate. Allied generals met Refet Pasha to-day.

WARSHIP RULING.

CONSTANTINOPLE, November 6.

The Ankara representative has handed the Allied High Commissioners a second note stating that warships of all nationalities must ask authorisation to pass through the Straits. They must salute the new Government in port.

A further note demands that the State should take over the railways.

BRITISH PROTECT SULTAN.

There is no further news with regard to the abdication of the Sultan, but it is believed the British authorities are taking measures to protect the Sultan and the heir to the throne.

The British High Commissioner at the Sultan's request is visiting him this afternoon. British troops since yesterday have been assisting to guard the palace.

The second Ankara note mentioned earlier stated that the regulations of the National Assembly provided that only one warship at a time could enter Turkish ports, and then only if properly authorised.

SULTAN'S FLIGHT STOPPED.

BRUSSELS, November 6.

It is reported from Constantinople that the Sultan attempted to depart but the inhabitants prevented him.

CONSTANTINOPLE, November 6.

The allied high commissioners have categorically refused to discuss the Ankara demand regarding warships called earlier as contrary to the terms of the original armistice and the Mudania convention.

EXCHANGES DEPRESSED.

LONDON foreign exchanges are nervous and weak owing to the developments at Constantinople. French francs are 66/0 and Belgian 71/90. German marks are offered in fear of the reparations developments at the low record of 31,000.

BUSINESS IMPROVES

AMERICA'S OUTLOOK.

LONDON, November 6.

Mr. Walter Andrews, President of the British Wool Federation, on his arrival at Liverpool from America said that he noticed business was improving very rapidly in the United States, especially in the wool-texture section. There was every prospect of very good trade. Americans were anticipating a good time within six months or a year. Nearly all trades were improving in the States.

WAR TO THE K IFE.

DE VALEHA'S STATEMENT.

LONDON, November 6.

Mr. De Valera in a statement, declares there is no truth in the rumours of peace negotiation. He says the principles which the Republicans are defending are by their very nature irreducible, and not susceptible to compromise. Victory for the republic or utter defeat and extermination are now the alternatives.

THE DOLLAR.

To-day's closing rate 2/5 5/16.
To-day's opening rate 2/5 9/16.

ELECTION PROSPECTS.

BEWILDERING OUTLOOK.

PERSONALITIES INCREASING.

LONDON, November 6.

Mr. Bonar Law's prediction of a big Conservative majority is not shared by Lord Birkenhead who to day publishes his advice to the Conservative women of Liverpool to vote for Conservative candidates only if they undertake to co-operate with Mr. Lloyd George.

Lord Birkenhead says it is inconceivable that Mr. Bonar Law will obtain a working majority, and Mr. Lloyd George is the only leader with whom he can combine.

With no outstanding issue and the multiplication of candidates whereby straight fights will be very few, party organisers unlike those in previous elections are somewhat doubtful of their prospects but the Independent Liberals and Labourites both declare reports from the constituencies are encouraging.

LABOUR CONFIDENT.

The Labour headquarters to-day declared they are dismayed not over the agitation on the subject of a capital levy which their opponents are exploiting to the utmost. An official said that the party would adhere to its levy plan as the only method of dealing with national debt. The official anticipated that 200 Labourites would be elected.

Personalities in the contest have hitherto been largely confined to the Conservatives, Independent Conservatives, and National Liberals. The last mentioned, who claim 178 candidates compared with the 135 with which they are generally credited, point out that the Conservatives nominated include 78 supporters of Mr. Austen Chamberlain whose attitude after the election is uncertain.

WOMEN CANDIDATES OPPOSED.

LONDON, November 6.

It is noteworthy that Mr. Lloyd George, in spite of evidences of popularity indicated by cheering crowds, no longer figures among the speakers reported verbally. This may be due to lack of space, for the papers to day are hardly able to give room for Saturday's speeches whose personal must be bewildering to the electorate for there is no clear-cut issue like home rule or tariff reform. The tone of personal recrimination in the speeches is sharpening, suggesting that the only issue for the electors is the late Government's record, especially in the Near East.

There are three-cornered contests in 200 constituencies, four cornered in 26, and even five and six candidates in each of half a dozen constituencies.

The Conservatives are attacking National Liberals for 30 seats. The National Liberals are attacking four Conservatives and eleven Liberals, while the Independent Liberals are attacking 20 National Liberals, including ten in Scotland, where evidences of a Conservative and National Liberal understanding are strongest. All the 32 women candidates have to fight.

LONDON, November 6.

Mr. C. B. Crisp, who negotiated the famous £5,000,000 loan to China in 1912, is Independent Liberal candidate for Windsor.

TERRIFIC MINE EXPLOSION.

NINETY MEN IMPRISONED.

SPANGLED, PENNSYLVANIA, November 6.

A terrific explosion has occurred at the Reilly coal mine.

Ninety miners who had just begun their day's work have been imprisoned.

Rescuers have entered the mine.

NUMBER SAVED.

LATER.

The rescuers have saved a number of miners but 25 corpses have hitherto been raised.

POLAND AND CHINA.

COMMERCIAL OVERTURES.

WARSAW, November 6.

It is believed commercial overtures will be opened between Poland and China after the treaty of amity which has just been negotiated has been signed.

RHODESIA'S FUTURE.

REFERENDUM DECISION.

SALISBURY, RHODESIA, November 6.

The referendum as regards the future government of Rhodesia, resulted in 8,774 votes for responsible government, and 5,989 for incorporation in the Union of South Africa.

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Strike through a finer element of
her own!From light-vibration to sound-
vibration was an easy transition. The
idea of the indefinite prolongation of
sound-waves was not unfamiliar when
(according to one of the most pro-
found of our modern philosophers)
the bearded beauty of England's
great men attested the physical
as well as the intellectual pre-
eminence of the Victorian age. But
no one seems to have been perturbed
by a prophetic glimpse of the day
when only the aid of a simple con-
junction of crystal metal, and fluid
would be needed to make the wander-
ing voices of the air audible and
articulate.IF AND WHEN.
Had Orsino's inconsolable beloved
possessed such an apparatus, and had
he followed Viola's suggestion to
Make the babbling gossip of the
air.

Cry out "Olivia."

it is conceivable that unwelcome
intrusions might have annoyed the
lady when she was "listening in" to
a sermon or a madrigal. If the
Brothers in Comus had had a portable
outfit, their lost sister need never have
apostrophisedSweet echo, sweetest nymph that
livest unseen.and the world would have been the
poorer for one of Milton's most
exquisite lyrics. Philip II "listening
in" at the Recital to Elizabeth's
defiant oration at Tilbury might have
abruptly changed his plans for the in-
vasion of England. By the same means
our grandfathers could have heard the
trumpet-tones of Mrs Siddons without
having to gasp among the bending
tallow-dips in a stifling theatre; while
their sons could have listened to
Dickens's famous readings without
having their eyes distracted by his
lively taste in waistcoats.What the psychological effect of
these bewildering innovations will be
upon us and our children it is difficult
to conceive. If inter-planetary com-
munication should follow, it is certain
that many venerable ideas will have
to be relinquished. If the planets
be inhabited, and if their denizens
have to face problems and disas-
ters not much unlike our own,
we shall soon cease to have any
illusions about the remote tran-
quillity and solemn splendour of the

"LISTENING IN."

AS IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN AND
MAY BE.We find ourselves on the threshold
of a new phase of experience. Our un-
fortunate old world, already an orb of
sensitive nerves that quiver from pole
to pole, is now to be made keenly
conscious of the myriad sounds borne
on its enveloping ether.Already the sky has ceased to be a
restful expanse of light and colour,
disturbed only by the swift sweep of
a cloud. But when the blue peace
above a well-loved landscape is
cloven by the strident, purposeful
light of an aeroplane, we can
console ourselves with the thought
that in itself an aeroplane is a beau-
tiful thing. Mr. Alfred Noyes has
found mystery and romance in a
military airship; Mr. John Drink-
water has admitted the inherent
loveliness of a Handley-Page. We are
waiting now for a poet who will sing
worthily of these and other new won-
ders.But poets have not always risen to
the occasion at the indicated moment.
What, for example, could be more
truly lovely, than a fifteenth-century
ship, with her high, castellated
poop, her graceful, gallant pro-
file, and her bulging sails rife
with many-rayed suns wrought in
orange and crimson and gold? Yet
the fifteenth century poets seem to
have been lamentably unresponsive.
Five more centuries may elapse before
a romantically-minded bard shall sing
of the monoplane and the dirigible as
modern writers sing of the Great
Harry and the Golden Hind. And
that time bard might find matter for
a whimsical lyric in a backward
glance at the quaint old days when
"listening in" was an experience new
and strange.What Mr. H. G. Wells has imagined
the world bids fair to become. After
him "pastime Time" does not "tail
in vain." It trots faithfully at his
heels. Indeed, timid people ought to
be grateful that his potent genius has
lately been occupied less with the
future than with the past. His return
to prophetic visions even more vast,
more complicated and more incredible
than his earlier ones might give us an
uneasy and uncomfortable feeling
that realisation would inevitably
follow soon.Far back in the "eighteen sixties"
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terested to know whether skirts are
worn long or short on Venus; men
will follow the elections and the golf
handicaps on Mars. But our point of
view will depend mainly upon the
nature of our new knowledge. When
we know more of the conditions of
life on our sister worlds we may, per-
hapsglancing heavenward on a
star so silver fair,
Yawn and clasp the hands and
murmur, "Would to God that
we were there!"
On the other hand we may not

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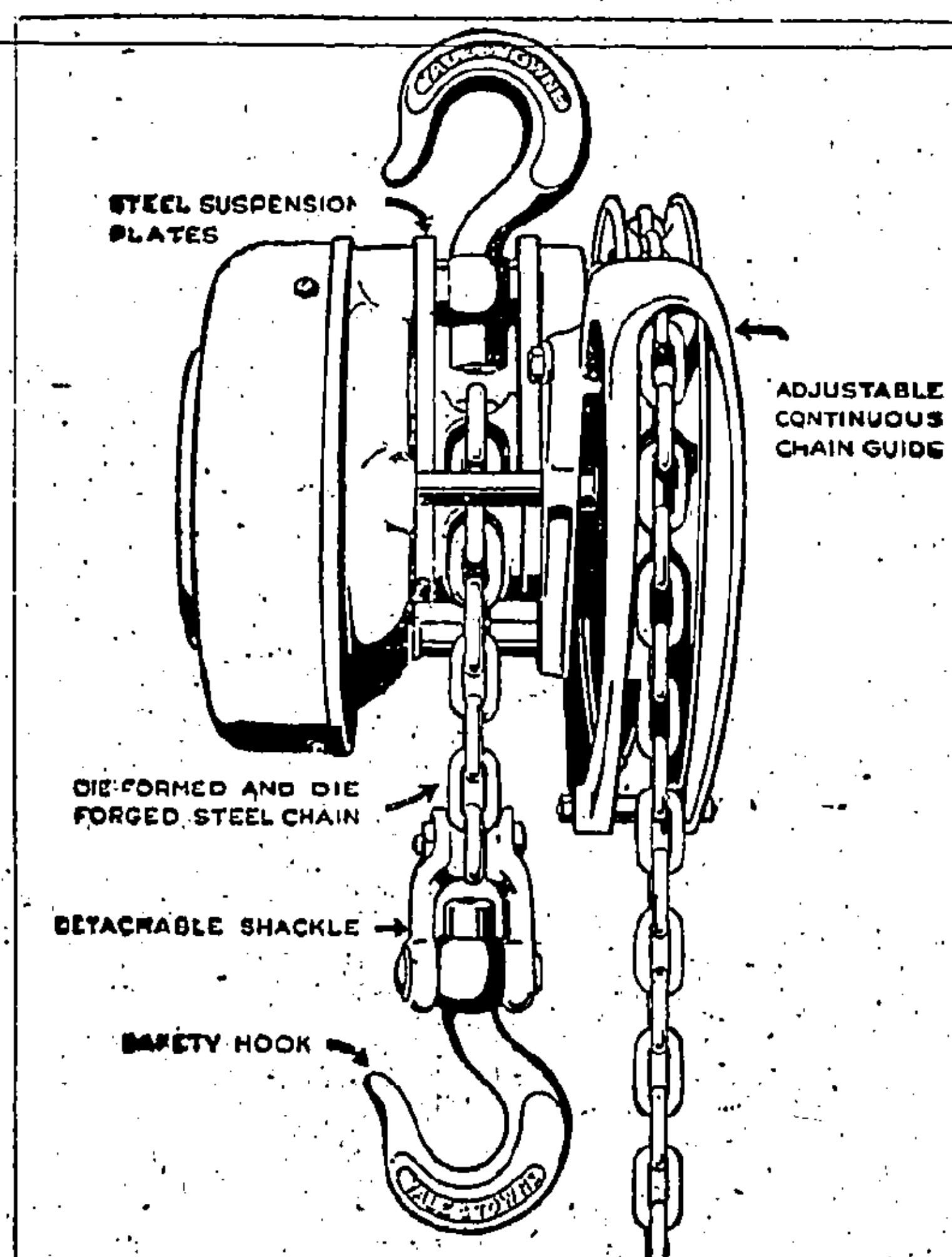
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DEATHS.

VERNON—In a Nursing Home at Varese, Italy, on the 4th inst. J. V. Vernon, late of Hongkong, aged 71 years. R. I. P. (Shanghai papers please copy.)

CHRISTENSEN—On October 30, 1922, at Shanghai Knud Holger Christensen, Chinese Maritime Customs, Chinkiang, aged 35 years.

HOLGATE—On October 31, 1922, Shanghai, from heart failure, Margaret Hannah Holgate.

The China Mail.

"TRUTH, JUSTICE, PUBLIC SERVICE"

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, NOV. 7, 1922.

EDUCATION PROBLEMS.

The Victoria British School building, owing to alteration of levels, comes down shortly. The present site is not central. Where will the new one be found?

This question arose at yesterday afternoon's meeting of the Education Board. The outcome of the ensuing discussion marks another milestone in the Colony's struggle to have its education problems treated broadly instead of piecemeal, a necessity which grows ever more acute as the scope of education here increases with each new budget.

Almost at the very outset, Mr. N. Teedale Mackintosh felt impelled to protest against a new building until the Board's policy had been defined. It was useless to discuss the new building "until we know the type of school and the type of education we want." The Director of Education, who presided, sought to temporise by suggesting a sub-committee "to get the facts about the available British child population near Victoria British School." Mr. Mackintosh would not be denied, however, and asked:

"Would it not be better to appoint a small committee to consider the whole question of British education in the Colony, apart from the Victoria School case; they are all linked together. The Chairman was still unwilling. He thought the committee would report on the smaller matter sooner. Mr. Mackintosh replied that he did not want to come to a decision on the smaller question without coming to a decision on the whole question, and proposed that a sub-committee be appointed to consider the whole question of the education of British children in the Colony, before any new expenditure is recommended in connection with British education." And this motion the meeting carried.

Mr. Mackintosh's stand for broad treatment of the whole problem must commend itself to everyone interested in the Colony's educational progress. The time has long passed when these matters can be tackled piecemeal. Our policy must be defined and every new step must be made in accord with that policy. The Government is convinced that education will play an important part in improving local industrial conditions and obviating costly disputes. Why not then extend the scope of this commission to cover, not merely the policy as it affects British children but as it affects the whole Colony? The Town Planning Commission has proved the value of taking longer matters, not complete in themselves, but as aspects of the larger problem. The same principle applies to education. Why not act accordingly, then?

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Exchange Banks will be closed on Friday and Saturday.

Sir Paul and Lady Chater returned to the Orient by the "Empress of Canada." They broke their return journey to Hongkong at Shanghai.

The Shanghai Journalists' Club celebrated its first birthday on Sunday by holding a dinner at one of the large Chinese restaurants.

News has reached Macao from Lisbon that Senhor H.M. Correia da Silva has resigned the Governorship of Macao and is to be succeeded by Dr. Rodrigo Rodrigues.

A tailor's shop at No. 87, Battery Street, Yaumatei, was entered by burglars last night. The thieves wrenched away the padlock on the door, and stole several rolls of cloth worth \$315.

On Sunday, the Hongkong Building Association held their inaugural at West Point. This is an association of both masters and workmen. Mr. Chan Tze-Kit is the first Chairman.

Burglars entered a shop on the first floor of No. 222, Des Vaux Road West yesterday evening by lifting the catch which fastened the stair door on the inside. They stole jewellery and clothing worth \$64.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kynoch beg to announce that the wedding of Miss Butchart to Mr. Cameron will take place on Friday, November 10th, at three p.m. and not on Monday, November 13th as previously announced.

Norma Talmadge in "Love's Redemption", a quaint picture which deals with life in Jamaica, is the attraction at the Coronet to day. On Friday Constable Talmadge will replace her sister in "Good References", her latest comedy.

In view of the increasing number of robberies, which generally take place during the winter months, orders have been issued by the Chief of the Shanghai and Woosung Constabulary for extra patrols to be put on special duty.

The following Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps appointments have been made:—Second Lieutenant R. M. Smith, M.B.E., to be Lieutenant in the Engineer Company, with effect from July 7th, 1922; and Sergeant S. J. Jordan, M.C., to be Second Lieutenant, Infantry Company, with effect from October 31st, 1922.

Amongst the arrivals by the "Empress of Canada" yesterday were Miss B. Addis, Mr. G. Grimbly, Mr. C. J. Ferguson, Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Harston and the Misses Harston. Bishop O. B. Locke and Mrs. Locke, Hon. Mr. O. M. Messer, Mr. H. F. Payne, Mr. D. R. Wahl, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Rowland.

To-day is the eleventh anniversary of Kwangtung's declaration of independence from the Manchukuo Dynasty. The Government, Municipal and other public offices in Canton are observing the holiday and both the Hongkong and Canton vernacular Press will not issue papers to-morrow.

Captain P. H. Rolfe, marine superintendent of the Indo-China S. N. Co., and Mr. G. D. Grant, of the engineering department, have gone to Weihaiwei by the I.C. S. "Kingsing" in connection with the wreck of the Company's str. "Koonshing."

Dr. da Silva, the Portuguese Consul-General at Canton who has been in Shanghai for the past six months as Portuguese delegate to the Commission of Tariff Revision in Shanghai, has returned to Canton. Mrs. da Silva and daughters are leaving for Portugal this week. Dr. da Silva remained at Canton a few more months.

Happy Retreat has been converted into a Chinese nursing home. A number of Chinese Western medical practitioners are interested in the project which will supply a long felt want as there is at present, no hospital for the better class Chinese. The formal opening is to take place to-morrow when the public is invited to inspect the premises. Tea will be served in the afternoon.

We ought soon to be able to "week end" at Shanghai. At any rate a gentleman who left here at noon on Thursday last by the "Empress of Asia" returned to the Colony yesterday by the "Empress of Canada" arriving at 1.00 p.m. He had "nine hours at Woosung and Shanghai and was able to do a certain amount of business etc. at Shanghai. The "Empress of Canada" left Woosung at 7.00 p.m. on Saturday, the 4th inst.

CHINESE LABOUR.

HOW THE GUILDS HAVE DECLINED IN CANTON

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Canton, Nov. 7.

Canton's labour guilds found 1920 and 1921 their most prosperous years. Over three hundred unions were registered in that period but very few are flourishing to-day. Nevertheless, Kwangtung still shows more labour activity than any other province. The decline may be attributed mainly to the following three reasons:—

Labour has not realised its position in relation to other classes of the community. The unions were the direct results of unfair treatment by the masters. The labourers felt it necessary to organise guilds to improve their living conditions. Many guilds, however, adopted an unreasonable attitude and lost whatever public sympathy there may have had.

The masses of the labourers have not been sufficiently educated to enable them to act as individual members of guilds. Their sole interpretation of the benefits accruing from membership is that joint action to secure increased wages can be easily organised. On the other hand, some of the masters have been very unsympathetic when considering employees' demands. This class of employer has characterised all movements as antagonistic. Kwangtung Province is not self-supporting. Hence the tendency to increase wages all round has raised the cost of living. This the public realises to the detriment of the unions.

The lack of conservative education has helped the guilds' decline. The average labourer has received very little education. Some people have come forward, ostensibly to direct the guilds, but actually to serve some other purpose, such as the furthering of political ends. Consequently the guilds have sometimes been implicated in politics, and union men have done things which they would otherwise have refrained from. These selfish agitators are the working man's real enemies. By interference in matters outside their own field the unions have helped to alienate public sympathy.

The guilds have not progressed owing to opposition from the employers. Although the average Chinese labourer is uneducated, Chinese employers, as a rule only view employment from their own standpoint. Nothing can convince this class of employer that there may be mutual benefits from bettering the employees' lot. Never hesitating to combine against the men, their general attitude may be classed as oppressive. This also has tended though in a smaller degree, to prevent the unions developing.

MID-OCEAN RESCUE.

STEAMER'S CREW SAVED

Rescued by the Chinese coaster "Tai Lee," the crew of the small Japanese steamer "Heiyo Maru," which met a gale during her voyage from Moji to Dairen, were safely landed in Hongkong yesterday.

A wooden vessel of about 900 tons deadweight built two or three years ago, the "Heiyo Maru" was carrying a general cargo which included a quantity of iron and cement. On October 30 she ran into a storm which lasted for several days. The ship began to founder and the distress signal put up by her master brought the "Tai Lee" to her aid. There was no hope of saving the "Heiyo Maru" and so the crew, numbering twenty four, were transferred to the "Tai Lee" and brought to Hongkong whence they will be shipped back to Japan.

The Yamashita Kaisha Kaisha are the charterers of the "Heiyo Maru," which was insured with a Japanese Company. The master of the "Tai Lee" gives the position of the wreck as lat 35.45 N. long 122.47.

THE CANTON LOAN.

FINAL ARRANGEMENTS BEING COMPLETED

CANTON, November 7.

Chung Sau-nam, the Canton Finance Commissioner, has telegraphed to the representative of the Anglo-French China Syndicate, requesting him to remit the funds of the Currency Loan as already agreed upon. The representative, who is telegraphically replying that the funds are ready and will return to Canton to put through the loan. On receipt of this advice, Chung at once consulted the Manager of the Kwangtung Provincial Bank with a view to commencing the redemption of the paper currency.

The opposition to the loan fostered by the students is still keen. The students say nothing will prevent them from holding their protest parade and are prepared to do should firearms be used against them.

WANCHAI STABBING.

TIMBER MERCHANT ATTACKED.

Chu Chung-lie, a timber merchant, was the victim of a stabbing affray some distance from his residence, No. 5, Yinwoo Terrace, Wanchai, yesterday evening. He was proceeding up the path leading from the back of the Wanchai Post Office to Kennedy Road, when he was attacked by 5 men who suddenly made their appearance from the gloom where they had apparently been lying in wait for him. Not a word was spoken by the assailants, who immediately set about their victim. In the course of the struggle, Chu was stabbed three times in the body, and collapsed.

He was dazed and could not say in what direction his assailants ran away. The attack on him was so sudden that he had no opportunity even of seeing who his assailants were. Chu, who is unable to offer any reason for the attack, is now in the hospital in a serious condition.

FUKIEN TROUBLE.

SEVERAL AEROPLANES AT THE FRONT.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

CANTON, Nov. 7.

Local bandits, styling themselves "The People's Army" have been active in the vicinity of Chuen Chow and Yin Ping on the Fukien-Kwangtung border. The telegraph lines have been cut in several places and communication between Canton and Fukien has been interrupted.

Wong Tai-wai, one of the commanders of Dr. Sun's Northern Expedition has issued orders to his troops to form the vanguard of the attack on Kwangtung. He says he is complying with "President" Sun's instructions by returning to Kwangtung. Li Fook-jun's corps will follow and the main force under Hsu Shung-chi will remain in Fukien till Lin Sun who was appointed Civil Governor by Dr. Sun, takes over control.

The two divisions under Yung Shieh-leung and Chung King-tong, which routed Dr. Sun's Northern Expedition at Shiu-kwan are now at Swatow. They will be moved to the Fukien front as soon as their arrears of pay are settled. The Governor of Swatow has asked General Chen not to pay these troops in notes as trouble may occur through the soldiers trying to dispose of the notes at par. The people of Swatow are already in a state of panic owing to the presence of such a large number of troops. General Chen is moving two divisions of troops, formerly stationed at Waichow and Shiehling on the East River to the Fukien border. They are now quartered in the Goddess of Mercy Mountains and are awaiting ammunition.

Several aeroplanes have arrived at the front and have dropped circulars among the inhabitants explaining the object of General Chen's expedition. They state that the Cantonese have come to succour Fukien, to give the people a Governor of their own choice and to drive out the invaders, meaning the pro-Sun troops.

DIVIDED KWONGSI.

THREE FACTIONS PLAY WAITING GAME.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

CANTON, November 7.

There are now three factions in Kwangtung and not one has made a move against the others. The pro-Chen troops are in occupation of the West River district from Wuchow to Tang Yuen. Further up, the former Inspector of the Two Kwangs, Lu Yung-ling, is in control. His troops occupy the region from Kwai Ping to Pak Sik. Lu has appointed Wai Wing-cheng to command the defences at Lung Chow. The Yunnan troops under Cheung Hoi-yu are still further up the river near Kwai Ping.

In Wuchow, there are also some Kwangtung soldiers. The Finance Commissioner had undertaken to pay them \$1,400 a day for their pay. Owing to funds not being forthcoming, the Kwangtung soldiers have collected the poultry tax direct from the merchants. As this does not amount to \$1,400 they have made levies on all traffic on the river. The junks are forced to pay sums ranging from \$5 to \$100 according to the value of the cargo.

Advice reached Canton on Sunday to the effect that there was trouble in Wuchow and that martial law had been declared. This is not correct. Some of the Kwangtung soldiers had orders to return to Canton but the merchants asked them to remain as they feared the presence of the Kwangtung troops. A few disorderly spirits took the opportunity to clamour for their arrears of pay, but they were soon quelled.

CLUB LUSITANO.

H. E. PAYS A VISIT.

The committee and members of the Club Lusitano were "at home" to H. E. the Acting Governor and Mrs. Severn at a special tea party yesterday afternoon on the occasion of His Excellency's first visit to the Club's new building in Ico House Street. The Hon. Mr. Severn was at Home on leave when the inauguration ceremony was performed by their Excellencies the Governor of Macao and Hongkong and yesterday's "at home" was arranged as the result of the Acting Governor's express wish to inspect the new Club. Invitations had been issued to a number of the leading officials of the Colony and amongst those who honoured the Club with their presence were: the Hon. Mr. A. G. M. Fletcher, C.M.G., Colonial Secretary, the Hon. Mr. J. H. Kemp, K.C., Attorney-General, the Hon. Mr. H. W. Bird, and Mr. Eric Rice.

The members of the Club de Recreio and the Catholic Union had also been invited to attend the "at home" with the result that there was a large gathering present when His Excellency and party arrived.

The Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Severn were met in the entrance hall by Mr. A. F. B. Silva Netto, President of the Club, and Mrs. Silva Netto, who acted as hostess. The Portuguese Consul-General, Senhor O. d'Albuquerque Castro, and Mr. P. V. Botelho. After His Excellency had inspected the billiard rooms and bar on the ground floor, the gathering ascended to the first floor where the ladies had been laid by the ladies of the Club for tea. Here His Excellency was met by the Rt. Rev. Bishop P. zoni Messia, E. V. M. R. de Sousa, J. C. Barreto, P. A. Rosario and Chev. J. M. Alves, and many other Portuguese residents.

In the ball-room on the top floor, His Excellency and Mrs. Severn were introduced to the ladies of the Club. During the introductory ceremony the Lusitano Jazz Band played some popular airs.

Tea was afterwards served after which Mrs. Severn took her departure. Before leaving she was presented with a pretty bouquet in a silver holder.

After tea dancing was indulged in and during an interval Mr. Silva Netto made a speech thanking His Excellency and Mrs. Severn for their visit.

His Excellency in replying, expressed his regret that he was not present when his friend the Governor of Macao performed the opening ceremony.

CAINE ROAD ROBBERY.

HOUSE COOLIE CONVICTED.

A house coolie employed by Mr. Chung Man, of No. 68, Caine Road, was charged before Mr. E. W. Hamilton this morning with the theft of a quantity of jewellery worth \$308, \$222 in cash and a deposit receipt for \$750, the property of his master.

Defendant pleaded guilty. Sgt. Fender said that the case was reported to the police as a burglary, but in the course of investigations, detectives found parts of the stolen property hidden in various parts of the roof of the house. Subsequently defendant admitted his guilt. All the jewellery and money with the exception of an ear-ring and \$180 in cash had been recovered. The deposit receipt could not be found.

The Magistrate said he did not think the complainant would have any difficulty in recovering the money at the bank.

Sentence of six weeks' jail was passed.

By the arrival of the "Hacan" alongside the Bund, yesterday, says the Peking and Tientsin Times of October 30, a famous old ship has returned to Tientsin, after an absence of a great number of years, only the senior residents being able to remember the vessel, which went by the name of "Viceroy" Li Hung-chang's yacht. Captain Wallace, her commander, must be the Commodore, with many years to spare, so far as service is concerned, in the China Merchants' Fleet. And yet another remarkable incident is the fact that Captain Wallace must also hold the record of continuous command of one ship, he having served for more than 20 years in the "Hacan" which was built in 1873. Captain Wallace is a fine type of the successful British shipmaster, and despite his 74 years is still in vigorous health, and time seems to hang lightly on his shoulders.

SAD HAPPENING.

YOUNG BOY DROWNED.

IN Y.M.C.A. SWIMMING POOL.

A sad drowning fatality occurred in the Y.M.C.A. swimming bath, Bridge Street, yesterday afternoon. The victim was a 14-year old student named Wu Kit-yung, one of a number of boys attending the Y.M.C.A. swimming classes which are held in the swimming pool situated in the basement of the Association Building.

The drowning occurred in eight feet of water at the deep end of the bath. Two swimming classes were held in the pool yesterday, one for those already able to look after themselves in the water and another for beginners. The deceased belonged to the former class, of which he was one of the most apt pupils. No one saw him drown, and he was not raised even when the class was called out of the water at 2.50 p.m. When the beginners' class arrived a few minutes later, the boy's clothing was found in the dressing room. Even then, no alarm was caused, as it was thought that he had lingered in the water after the others left the pool. When the pool was found to be empty, the instructors became alarmed for the first time. Their fears that some tragedy had occurred were confirmed when several instructors dived in and discovered the unfortunate lad's body lying at the bottom of the pool.

The boy was already dead when brought up. On the right forearm there was a slight bruise, but that might have been there before he entered the water. There was nothing to indicate the cause of the tragedy unless it was cramp or heart failure.

FORGED NOTE.

\$10 CHANGED TO \$100.

A Chinese man and a woman were charged before Mr. E. W. Hamilton this morning with the unlawful possession of a forged \$100 note. Mr. A. E. Hall appeared for the defence and asked for a remand.

After examining the note, Magistrate remarked that it was a poor imitation.

Mr. H. A. M. Bay, of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, said that the note was originally a \$10 bill issued by their Shanghai office. The figures had been altered to read 100, but the wording had not been tampered with, except that a Chinese character had been written over the word "ten." The witness produced a genuine \$100 note for comparison, and said that the forged note could deceive at a glance.

The case was adjourned until to-morrow.

PENURIOUS POLE.

BECOMES GOVERNMENT'S GUEST.

WHILE LOOKING FOR WORK.

A Pole named Stanislas Kobylinski was charged before Mr. E. W. Hamilton this morning with vagrancy—having no employment or visible means of subsistence.

Sgt. Hopkins said that yesterday afternoon he was sent for by the Sailors' Home at West Point, and Capt. Bayliss handed the defendant over to him. Defendant had been living at the home for a few days, but did not have any money to pay his way. He had stowed away to Hongkong from Dairen.

Defendant, who did not speak much English, told the Magistrate through an interpreter, that he was a motor engineer by trade. He had tried to get work both in Shanghai and in Dairen, and, failing, had come on to Hongkong to try his luck here.

The Magistrate said that there is an opening for motor engineers here. The Sergeant said that he was a little. The Magistrate (to defendant): You will have to go to the House of Detention. There you will at least have a roof over your head, a bed and your meals—which are not so bad as they are made out to be. You will be allowed out each day from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. to look for work. I must say you were very foolish to come here when you cannot speak English. We cannot do anything more for you, except that the Sergeant will give you a list of motor garages, and you can go round to them and search for a job.

"POPPIES FOR REMEMBRANCE"

BUY YOUR POPPY ON SATURDAY.

TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Router's Service in the China Mail)

NEAR EAST RELIEF.

AMERICA'S FINE SHARE.

ATHENS, November 6.

It is officially stated that the American Near East relief committee has spent 23 million drachmas in assisting Greek refugees since the Smyrna disaster.

BANQUE INDUSTRIELLE

EXPEDITING THE BILL.

PARIS, November 6.

Responding to a request from M. Poincaré, and in order not to delay the discussion of the Banque Industrielle Bill, the Finance Commission adopted the same without amendment.

INTERPORT CRICKET.

SHANGHAI TEAM ARRIVES.

The "Empress of Canada" brought the Shanghai interport cricket team to Hongkong yesterday and several of them put in an hour or two at the nets during the afternoon. The interport matches are fixed for next Friday and Saturday which are both public holidays.

The programme of entertainment includes a G.M. Club dinner at the Hongkong Hotel to-morrow, the British Legion dance at the City Hall on Saturday, a motor trip and tiffin at Pauling on Sunday, dinner at Governor's House and dance on Monday, preceded by the St. Andrew's Practice Dance at the City Hall. On Tuesday and Wednesday next the Shanghai team play the Services and on Wednesday evening there will be a dinner and dance at Repulse Bay Hotel. On Thursday, the 16th, Shanghai play Kowloon and in the evening there is a dinner at the Hongkong Club. The team leaves the Colony on Friday the 17th.

The Committees in charge of the arrangements consist of: General Committee: Mr. R. Hancock (President), Hon. Mr. Claud Severn C.M.G., Messrs. T. E. Pearce, H. A. Nibbet, F. C. Hall, G. R. Sayer, R. E. A. Webster, F. A. Redmond, L. J. Davies, H. E. Hollands and E. J. R. Mitchell (Hon. Secretary).

Entertainment Committee: Messrs. R. Sutherland (Convener), H. A. Nibbet, Dr. Forsyth, R. E. O. Bird, M. E. F. Airey, Eric Rice, Major Harding, R. A. M. C. and R. E. A. Webster (Hon. Secretary).

The following have been selected to play cricket for the Army in a United Services Trial Match at 11 a.m. on Wednesday on the Civil Service Ground, Happy Valley.

Col. L. Humphrey, C.M.G., R.A.M.C.; Major E. D. Matthews, R.E.A.; Captain W. J. H. Howard, D.S.O.; 2/King's Regt., Captain C. O. Oliver R.E.A.; Captain P. H. Davis, M.C. R.E.A.; Captain E. G. Spiels, D.S.O.; Major E. H. H. Dods, M.C.; 102nd K. E. O. Grenadiers; Captain R. E. Le Fleming, M.C.; 102nd K. E. O. Grenadiers; Captain W. B. Macdonald, 2/King's Regt.; Lieut. W. D. Bacon, 102nd K. E. O. Grenadiers; Staff Sgt. Redpath, R.E.

"DADDY LONGLEGS."

LAST NIGHT'S THEATRE SUCCESS.

Jean Webster's four act comedy has its own peculiar charm, and as presented by the English Farical Comedy Co., at the Theatre last night, its appeal was immediate and effective, as the considerable applause at the close of each act proved. The familiar story, made more so by Mary Pickford's film study of the book, of the orphan-cum-Daddy Long Legs benefactor offers many opportunities for fine and distinctive acting, and none of those opportunities was neglected last night. It was an exquisite pleasure to listen to Miss Jane Comfort's magical musical voice, and it is quite evident that in addition to being a distinguished comedy actress, Miss Comfort has claims to a high position on the purely legitimate side of her art. She had undoubted and splendid support from her colleagues, chiefly from Mr. Winton Barnes, whose portrayal of the Long Legs person won him the affection of his audience. The sentimental periods of the play lost nothing by reason of his acting and he came in for a fair share of the applause.

Miss Minnie Rayner and Miss Mary Charlton gave perfectly etched in Vignettes, as did Daisy Revett, Margie La Rabin, and Cicely Charlton.

To-night the Company give "The Young Person in Pink" and close their season on Thursday.

CHINA COAST.

LATEST SHIPPING CHANGES

Mr. A. Winckler, chief officer.

"Woonung," is on reserve.

Mr. D. D. Richards from reserve has gone chief officer, "Woonung."

Mr. R. H. Fairley, chief officer.

"Wuchang," is on leave.

Mr. F. Bennett, chief officer.

"Luenyi," has gone chief officer.

"Wuchang," is on leave.

Mr. S. Johnson, from reserve, has gone chief officer, "Luenyi."

Captain F. McGarity of the "Chekiang," is on reserve.

Captain J. R. Shearer of the "Hanyang," has gone master.

"Chekiang," is on reserve.

Mr. J. F. Fraser, chief officer.

"Suiyang," has gone acting master.

"Hanyang," is on reserve.

Mr. R. Allison, from reserve, has gone chief officer, "Suiyang."

Captain J. M. Claire of the "Chili" has resigned.

Mr. J. McKelvie, second officer.

"Kweiyang," has gone acting chief officer, same ship.

Mr. J. St. J. Mumby, second officer.

"Taming," has gone second officer.

"Kweiyang," is on reserve.

Mr. W. J. Chipp, acting chief officer.

"Kweiyang," has gone second officer.

Mr. A. N. McDonald, chief engineer.

"Hsin Peking," has gone chief engineer.

Mr. D. McDonald, chief engineer.

"Tungchow," has gone chief engineer.

"Hsin Peking," is on reserve.

Mr. E. J. Twist, second officer.

"Taming," is on reserve.

Mr. W. S. Gee, second officer.

"Leeang," has gone second officer.

"Taisang," is on reserve.

Mr. J. C. Arnold, from reserve, has gone second officer, "Leeang."

Mr. R. T. J. Hopkins, from reserve, has gone second officer, "Tungwo."

Mr. T. Fotheringham, has been appointed third engineer, "Taisang."

Mr. A. Salvador has been appointed third engineer, "Taisang."

Mr. D. T. Murree, from leave, has gone chief engineer, "Tosnap."

Mr. J. Malcolm, acting chief engineer, "Tosnap," has gone second engineer, "Kiangyu."

Mr. M. Blasia, second engineer.

"Kiangyu," is on leave.

TROP TRANSPORT.

CANTON'S WHOLESALE REQUISITIONING.

(From Our Own Correspondent).

Canton, Nov. 7.

The S.S. "Hoi Tung" which was commandeered by the Canton Government in 1920 has again been requisitioned for transporting troops from Canton to Swatow. A large launch had also been taken to convey Wong Keung's troops from Hoihow to Canton. The junk plying between Canton and Koon Shad Kut Lee on the West River have been pressed into service for the transport of troops. Traffic between Canton and Waichow has practically ceased as all the junks are being used to rush reinforcements and ammunition to the Fukien front. Other junks have also been commandeered causing much inconvenience to passengers dislocating trade. Those who have been fortunate to escape military attentions so far are taking the precaution of anchoring some distance away from Canton. As a result of this wholesale requisitioning, the Junk Owners' Guild has issued a circular to members. A meeting will be called to protest against the authorities making use of the junks without paying the hire or even contributing to the upkeep of the junks and their crews.

The Imports and Exports Office will be open for payment of liquor duties only from 9 a.m. to noon on Friday. It will be open for all purposes on Saturday but licensed warehouses will be closed on both days.

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OFFICE

GENERAL HOLIDAY.

This Department will be open for payment of duties only from 9 a.m. to 12 noon on Friday, the 10th November, 1922. It will be open for all purposes on Saturday, the 11th November, 1922. Licensed Warehouses will be entirely closed on these days.

S. L. SMITH, Superintendent, Imports and Exports.

Hongkong, November 6, 1922.

BANK HOLIDAYS.

In accordance with Ordinance No. 5 of 1912, the EXCHANGE BANKS will be closed for the transaction of PUBLIC BUSINESS on FRIDAY and SATURDAY, the 10th and 11th instant.

Hongkong, November 6, 1922.

HONGKONG ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY

ST. ANDREW'S BALL INVITATIONS.

MEMBERS are reminded that in order to gain admission to the PRACTICE DANCES on TUESDAY, 14th, TUESDAY 21st and MONDAY 27th inst., it is necessary that they and their guests should be in possession of ADMISSION SLIPS detachable from the Invitation Cards. Members should therefore send in their applications for Invitation Cards, as soon as possible.

By Order, D. K. BLAIR, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, November 7, 1922.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the EASTERN EXTENSION TELEGRAPH CO., LTD., that certain portions of Garden Road, between Queen's Road and the Helena May Institute will be taken for trench openings from WEDNESDAY, the 8th, November 1922.

The public are requested to drive slowly.

M. E. F. AIREY, Superintendent.

Hongkong, November 7, 1922.

ROYAL HONGKONG GOLF CLUB.

Manila v. Hongkong.

The Interport Competition will be played at Pauling on Wednesday 8th November.

A special train will leave Kowloon at 8.35 a.m. (last ferry 8.15 a.m.).

By Order, PERCY SMITH, SETH & FLEMING, Secretaries and Treasurers.

Hongkong, November 7, 1922.

THE ROYAL HONGKONG GOLF CLUB.

GOVERNOR'S SHIELD.

NOTICE.

Will the members who entered their names on the list posted at DEEP WATER BAY kindly communicate with the Secretaries and Treasurers before SATURDAY, November 11th. The DEEP WATER BAY list of entries was lost in transit to the office.

By Order, PERCY SMITH, SETH & FLEMING, Secretaries and Treasurers.

Hongkong, November 7, 1922.

HOUSE OR FLAT WANTED.

Will anybody, having a small furnished house, or flat to let until Feb/March next year, please communicate with Box 1406 c/o "China Mail."

PUBLIC AUCTION.

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COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE.

EDUCATION BOARD DISCUSSION.

The education of British children in the Colony, the teaching of shorthand and University scholarships for girls were discussed at a meeting of the Education Board, held yesterday afternoon. The Director of Education (the Hon. Mr. E. A. Irving) presided, and there were also present: the Rev. Fr. Maria, the Rev. A. D. Stewart, Dr. Wan Man kai, Mr. N. Teesdale Mackintosh, Mr. B. Wylie, Mr. U. Ramjahn, Mr. S. W. Tso, Mr. A. F. B. Silva Netto, the Inspector of English Schools (Mr. E. Ralph), the Inspector of Vernacular Schools (Mr. A. R. Cavalier) and the Secretary (Mr. Y. P. Law).

Dealing with the estimates, the Chairman said that another Inspector of vernacular schools had been appointed and would be of very great assistance. He was very strongly of opinion that more trained masters and more trained inspectors were needed. Referring to British staffs the Chairman said several masters had arrived during the year but the staff was still short. On the other hand, the staff of assistant mistresses had been very largely increased from 100 to 120. The Chairman spoke of the frequency with which changes took place either through marriage or sickness—amongst the women teachers, and mentioned that during the present year there had been three headmistresses at the Victoria School; these changes were all due to illness. As to the Vernacular Normal School, this was formed two years ago with the idea of producing a supply of more or less trained teachers for the vernacular schools of the Colony. The two years' course at the School finished at the end of the present year. In theory, the School ought to have turned out 20 men and 20 women, but he was afraid there would not be anything like that number. It had been rather hard to persuade the men, especially, to complete the full course. They did not yet realise what it would lead to; they were not quite sure that, after they had spent two years going through the course, they would find remunerative employment at the end of it. He hoped that results would show that their fears were illusory. Hongkong would want most of the graduates for vacancies in the Education Department and any others would, he thought, have very little difficulty in finding work elsewhere. There did not seem to be much difficulty in getting women to finish the course. He believed that quite a number were completing it with a view to improving and extending their education and not so much for putting their knowledge to money value. The subsidies for vernacular schools in Hongkong had been increased by several thousand dollars, and he would like the vote to be still further increased, but not more than a small number of these schools were sufficiently good to justify the expenditure. When they were, he had no doubt a grant would be forthcoming. When they got more masters and mistresses from the Normal School they would doubtless see a great improvement in the schools and be able to increase the subsidies very considerably.

SHORTHAND.

SHOULD IT BE TAUGHT?

Whether shorthand should be taught at the Kowloon British School was the next question discussed. The Chairman said he presumed everybody had read the debate on the estimates and had noticed that the senior unofficial member had recommended the teaching of shorthand at Kowloon School. He ventured to say at the time that he was not convinced that shorthand was a desirable subject to be taught at the School, but it was certainly a matter which the Board might very well take into consideration. He had been in communication with the Headmaster who had written that he had talked the

said. His experience at St. Joseph's College convinced him that it would be a mistake to include shorthand in the curriculum of the school. The subject was then dropped, the Chairman observing that the meeting appeared to be unanimously of the opinion that shorthand should not be taught at the School.

BRITISH SCHOOLS.

WHOLE QUESTION TO BE CONSIDERED.

The Chairman mentioned that the Victoria British School building would have to come down in connection with the new Queen's College, owing to alteration of levels. It was just as well, for the building—then a not particularly unattractive—might be better and was very old. This was an opportunity to consider where the school could go. It was not now on a central spot, and, of course, there was the constant difficulty that the topography of Hongkong imposed upon educational authorities. To have that desideratum—a big school with a large staff—meant that children would have to travel long distances and parents would not like that.

In reply to Mr. Mackintosh, the Chairman mentioned that it was only proposed to send back to the Victoria School the girls—not the boys—who had hitherto gone to the Kowloon British School. Communications had been received from the parents of Quarry Bay during the holidays as to the inconvenience of sending girls to Kowloon. He thought there was a great deal in it and had undertaken to do his best to find sufficient staff to restore Class III. from the beginning of next term.

Mr. Mackintosh: Again I feel I ought to protest against any discussion of a new building until we know what our policy is. It is useless to discuss the building until we know the type of school and type of education we want.

Mr. Wylie thought that Quarry Bay, where there were something over 100 children, should be kept in mind, but, in reply to the Chairman, he said he did not go so far as to suggest having a school at Quarry Bay, but perhaps a temporary one.

The Chairman remarked on the difficulties of supplying the educational needs of a British population dotted along the enormous distance from West Point to Shaukiwan. The problems were: a central school; a school at one end or the other; a school at both ends; or a school at the centre and at both ends. The bigger the schools were, the better from the point of view of economical staffing.

Mr. Mackintosh thought that too much stress was laid upon geography when considering sites for schools, rather than in thinking about the form of education required. "We are considering British children," continued Mr. Mackintosh, "therefore we may reasonably make some kind of comparison with conditions at home. I doubt very much whether parents at home choose a school for geographical reasons. That is, to my mind, the great mistake we are all making in Hongkong. You have a community at Quarry Bay which consists of children of parents employed in 'B. & S.'—practically a 'B. & S.' community. These children will require quite a different type of education from the children whose parents are in a different station and walk in life, and we must keep that in mind when we attack a problem of this sort."

The Chairman suggested the appointment of a small sub-committee to consider the question. What Mr. Mackintosh had said was very true, theoretically, but it was extremely difficult to get mothers to see that their objections to letting their children travel some miles by tram and then by ricksha, get a "scratch" meal and perhaps get wet during the journeyings—that all these objections were mere side issues and that they ought to look, steadily, at the quality of the education. It was very hard to persuade people not to expect a school near their doors.

Mr. Mackintosh: In that case they must pay for it.

The Chairman: They do pay. Mr. Mackintosh: They don't pay; the Government pays. Let them have a private school.

The Chairman renewed his suggestion of a sub-committee to get the facts about the available British child population near Victoria British School.

Mr. Mackintosh: Would it not be better to appoint a small committee to consider the whole question of British education in the Colony, apart from the Victoria School case; they are all linked together.

The Chairman: Yes, if they won't take too long to consider it. I think they will report on the smaller question sooner.

Mr. Mackintosh: I do not want to come to a decision on the smaller question without coming to a decision on the whole question.

The Chairman: Well, unless you are prepared to recommend that the British Schools shall not prepare for University examinations, there is not much prospect of changing materially, the nature of the education they give. I think we can advise the Government as to Victoria School without raising a very wide theoretical question.

Mr. Mackintosh: I am sorry, Sir, I did not realise it was a theoretical question; I thought it was a very practical question.

The Chairman: Will you propose a resolution?

Mr. Mackintosh: I propose that a sub-committee be appointed to consider the whole question of the education of British children in the Colony, before any new expenditure is recommended in connection with British education.

The Chairman: When is your committee going to report?

Mr. Mackintosh: I could tell you that at the committee had been appointed.

The Chairman: The point I raise is rather a practical one. We have got to find a building for these children before the other is pulled down, and tell the Government what we want.

Mr. Mackintosh: I quite agree, but I am not sure we can tell them unless we bring forward a scheme which will embrace all the British children in the Colony.

Mr. Wylie seconded the motion which was then carried.

The Chairman proposed Mr. Mackintosh as a member of the sub-committee. Dr. T. W. Pearce and Mr. Wylie were also nominated.

The Chairman: I think the Department ought to be represented. Mr. Mackintosh: I propose Mr. Ralph.

These members were accordingly appointed.

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR GIRLS.

DEARTH OF WOMEN TEACHERS.

Mr. Mackintosh proposed:—That the Board of Education should recommend to the Government that a scholarship in education in the University of Hongkong be opened to competition by girl candidates from all schools in the Colony, to be awarded on the results of the Matriculation Examination in November in each year and, if possible, the first be awarded on the results of the examination to be held in November, 1922.

Mr. Mackintosh reminded the Board that, just a year ago he proposed that scholarships for boys and girls from the grant-in-aid schools should be awarded in the University and the Board's recommendation was accepted by the Government. Since then the higher education of girls had become more important; one always knew it was only a question of time before the question of the education of girls in Hongkong and China would have to be tackled. The time had come more quickly, even, than he expected. In the entries for examination to be held this month there were eight girl candidates for Matriculation; 33 for the Senior Local and 72 for the Junior Local Examinations. The 72

MALARIA.

QUESTIONS BY DR. KOCK.

The following questions about the prevalence of malaria are to be asked by Dr. W. V. M. Kock at this afternoon's meeting of the Sanitary Board:—

- 1.—Whether there has been an increase in the prevalence of malaria in Hongkong and the New Territory during this year.
- 2.—What method has been adopted to ascertain the incidence of malaria in the Colony.
- 3.—Whether the extensive building operations now in progress might be held accountable for the increase of malaria, if there be any increase.
- 4.—If so, whether any prophylactic method can be adopted, such as ensuring the administration of quinine to the workmen and coolies engaged on such work.

An amusing phase in connection with the Takieta situation is the captivity of the former Commissioner of Finance under Li Hou-chi, Fei Yukai. This man was captured and placed on board a gunboat at the outbreak of hostilities for "protection." Now, however, the naval authorities refuse to pay \$200,000 for his freedom, while the people insist that all his money and property be confiscated before he is released and the proceeds handed back to the people of Takieta.

Junior Local examinees became Senior Local next year and the 36 Senior Locals became Matriculation candidates next year, subject to mishaps by the way. "If I were a mathematician," remarked Mr. Mackintosh, "I should divide these figures, at least, by two. The eight girl candidates for Matriculation, this year, were all competitors for the scholarship opened to boys and girls and they represented practically all the schools in the Colony. It was clear that girls had a very poor chance of winning the scholarship while they were competing against boys. Boys were able to offer subjects like physics and chemistry which the girls could not offer; and, further, those subjects counted just double the marks awarded for drawing, history and geography which the girls could take. The boys also had a tremendous advantage in mathematics at which they had spent more years than had the girls. Mr. Mackintosh referred to the Director's remarks at prize-givings in favour of encouraging girls to matriculate and added that a scholarship open to girls would have the same encouraging effect upon girls' schools as the one already offered had upon boys' schools. There was a tremendous number of candidates for the one scholarship already founded. The Colony suffered from a great dearth of women teachers and must begin to train them. For a supply they would have to go to girls trained in Chinese or other schools, Government or grant-in-aid, and perhaps most of all to the grant-in-aid schools. It might be said that one scholarship might not produce one teacher, but it would have a very real influence in persuading girls to take an interest in a vocation and in vocational training.

Dr. T. W. Pearce seconded. He said that, speaking from long experience, girls' schools were one of the most satisfactory aspects of education in the Colony and they deserved the encouragement of a scholarship. The Colonial Government did a great thing when it gave an impetus, years ago, to girls' education and a great object lesson—in the words of Sir John Davis when Governor—had thereby been provided for to China. A repeated stimulus was, however, necessary from time to time, and such an impetus would be a girls' scholarship at the University; especially valuable at this time of change and movement of men's—and women's—minds.

The resolution was carried.

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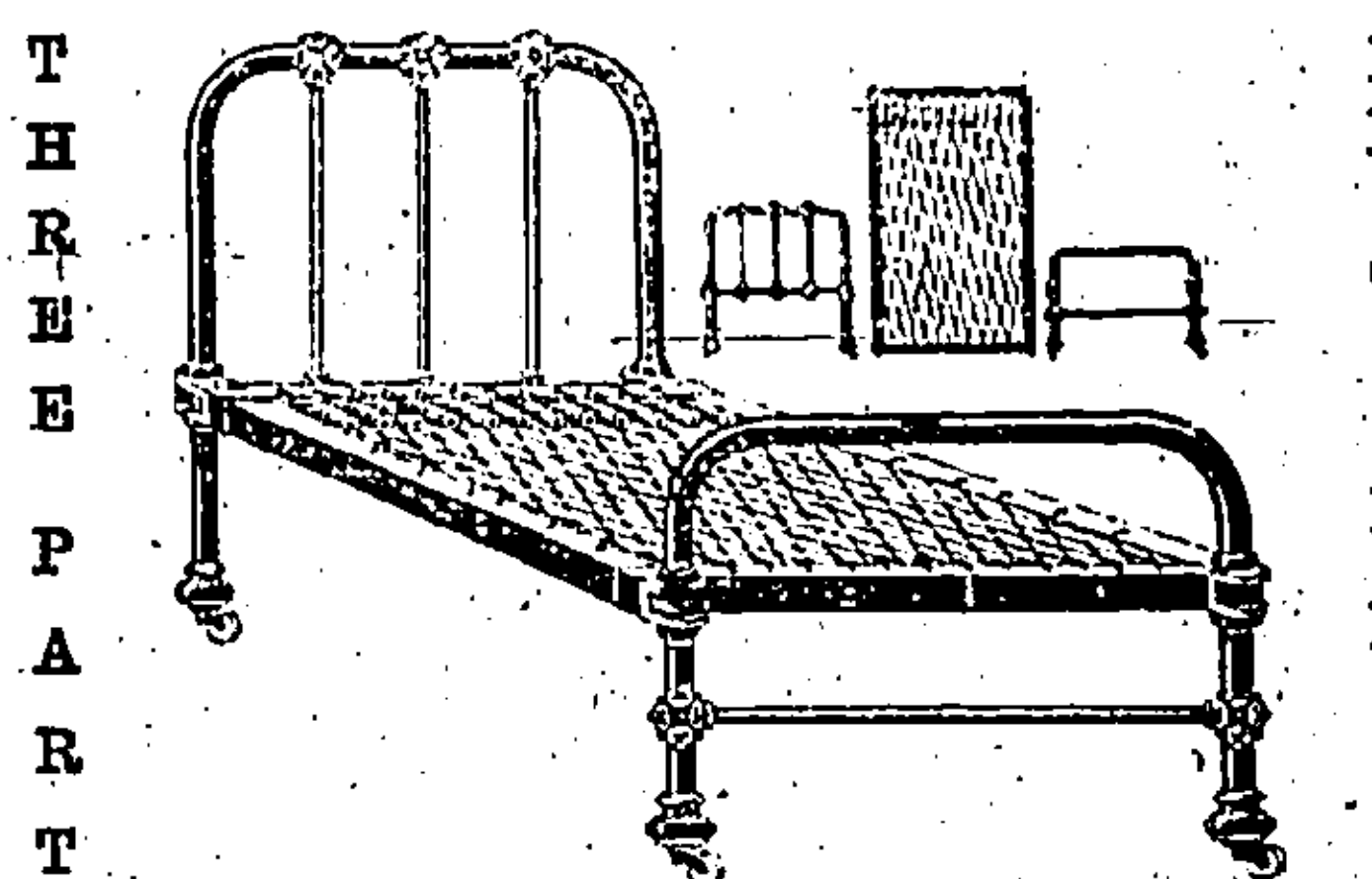
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PORT SAID.

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AUSTRALIAN PORTS.

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ARMISTICE DAY.

THE NATION'S TRIBUTE.

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has received the following telegram from the Secretary of State for the Colonies:—
"Armistice Day" wreath will be laid by
"His Majesty in person."

OBITUARY.

MR. J. Y. V. VERNON.

News reached here by cable last night, of the death of a very old resident of Hongkong, Mr. J. Y. V. Vernon. The deceased was in his 71st year of age, passed peacefully away in a nursing home in Varese, Italy, on November 4.
The late Mr. Vernon, who was the founder of the well-known firm of Messrs. Vernon and Smyth, left the Colony 12 years ago after about 30 years' residence here, and he and Mrs. Vernon, who survives him, settled in the South of France. They made a health trip to Italy a few months ago. Mr. Vernon entered the nursing home recently but his condition was not considered serious. The sudden news of his death came therefore as a great shock to his many friends. Mrs. Vernon was with him when he died.
The sympathy of many old timers of Hongkong will go out to the widow. Besides Mrs. Vernon, the deceased is survived by his daughter, the wife of the Hon. Mr. H. W



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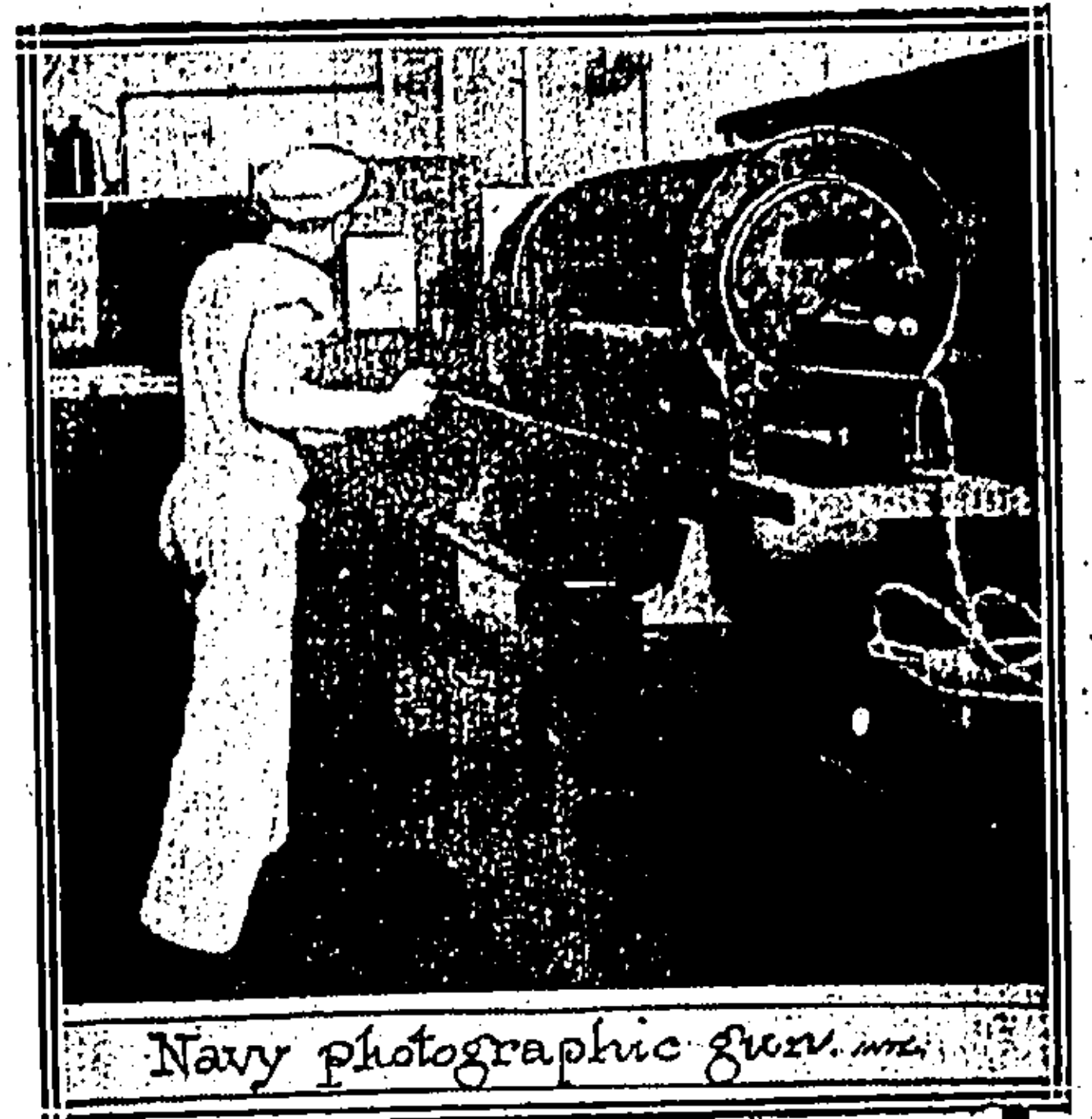
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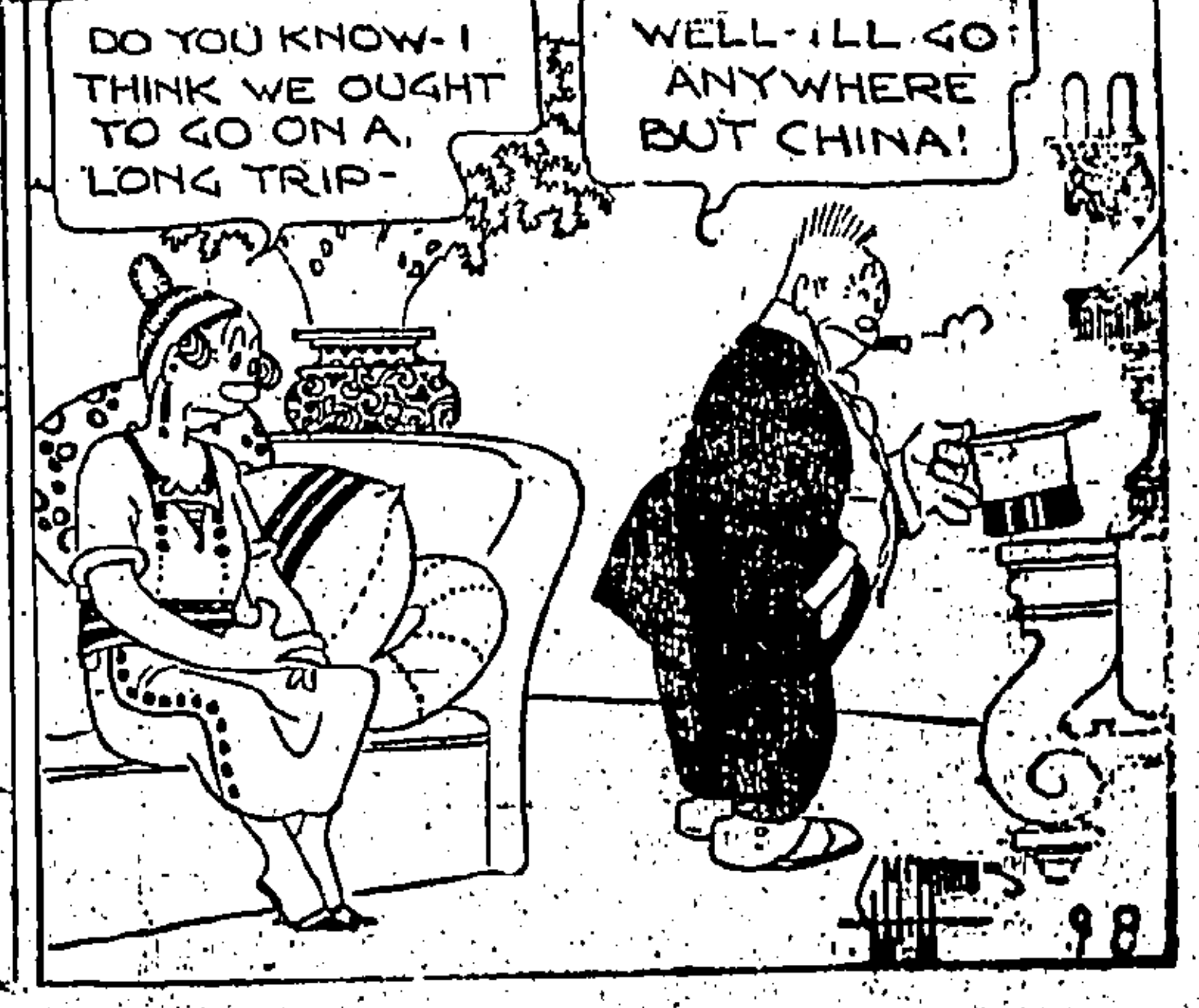
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